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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

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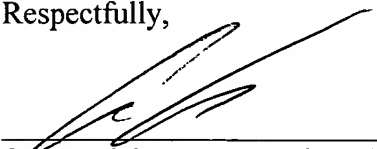
Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully petitions that the above application be made special under 37 C.F.R. 1.102(d).

A thorough search was made in Classes 428/15, 264/46.5, 264/71, and 264/46.4. Form PTO-1449 and copies of relevant art are included herewith. Pursuant to MPEP 708.02, a discussion of the related art and of its relevance to the present application is included with this petition. Also, all claims are directed to a single invention; and in the event that the Office determines that the claims are not directed to a single invention, applicant will make an oral election without traverse.

Applicant respectfully requests that this petition be granted. A petition fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) for small entity is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully,



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